

THE BRITISH COLONIST.
Monday Morning, Dec. 28, 1868.
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Auction Sale.
J. P. DAVIES & Co., Wharf street, will sell at 11 a. m. to day, at salesrooms, Goods imported expressly for Holiday Presents, comprising Plated Ware, Dry Goods, Ornaments, Fancy Jewelry, etc., etc.

MARRIED.
In this city, on the 25th inst., Captain J. Rudolph to Miss Sophia Hill, daughter of John Hill, of Warwickshire. [We acknowledge the receipt of a cheque for the happy couple.]

PASSENGERS.
Per Steamer G. S. WRIGHT from Portland—J. C. Armstrong, L. W. Nickerson, J. K. Mason, Oscar Brown, John Every, John Thomsen, Geo. Baker.

CONSIGNEES.
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IMPORTS.
Per Steamer G. S. WRIGHT from Portland—32 bxs apples, 15 bxs eggs, 74 bxs wheat, 83 bxs sheep, 23 bxs mutton, 14 bxs beef, 100 bxs flour, 14 kegs, 5 cals, 12 bxs pears, 4 pkgs spokes, 4 bxs butter, 1 pkg papas, 2 bds sacks.

DEATH OF ANOTHER PROMINENT CITIZEN.
The community was shocked in the midst of its merrymaking on Saturday by the announcement of the sudden death of Jas. W. Trahey, Esq., one of our oldest and most trusted citizens, who was found lying dead on the floor of a room in his house at an early hour in the morning by his servant.

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Mr Bell, of the firm of Beedy & Co., was examined, and said that it was usual to make an agreement as to the rate of interest in such cases. On an account due for eight months last year, Mr Nelson did not charge any interest. His Worship decided that the plaintiff was entitled to 3 per cent per month, ab initio on the balances of account, and he agreed with the plaintiff that the first account furnished to the defendant in which interest at 3 per cent per month was charged, was a sufficient notice that defendant would be required to pay such a rate of interest on all future balances. A special agreement as to the rate of interest was not at all necessary. Decrees accordingly for \$362. Defendant appealed to the Superior court. December 16th, 1868.

HAVE you seen the beautiful displayed Evening Costumes for the coming festivities and the Elegant Fancy Goods for Christmas Presents, at London House, Government street?

SELLING OFF TO CLOSE! Peremptory sale of Cloths, Vestings, Tailor's Trimmings, Navy Serge and Flannels, from the Navy Yard, bought at Auction and for Sale at Auction Prices.—D. KAUFMAN, Tailor, Yates street, Opposite Bank British North America.

FRED PAYNE has removed his Cheap Shaving Shop to the opposite side of Johnson street, just above the Miner's Saloon.

THE observance of the Christmas holidays has thus far been characterized with good humor, sobriety and interchanges of social feeling, in practising which citizens have been aided by the glorious state of the weather, which has been sufficiently cool to quicken the warm blood in their veins and to impart a genial, ruddy glow to every countenance, quite in consonance with the joyous season and its hallowed associations. At midnight on Christmas Eve a Grand Mass was performed in the Catholic Cathedral, and on the following morning services were held in the Episcopal and Wesleyan churches. The sacred edifices were tastefully decorated with wreaths and garlands of evergreens, intertwining appropriate sentences, &c. New anthems were sung with powerful effect by the choirs.

THE Fire Insurance Companies having offices or agencies at San Francisco have agreed to the following uniform rates of premium: On 1st and 2nd class brick, the rate will be 75 cents; on 3d class brick, \$1 on the hundred; on warehouses, 75 cents, and on dwellings, 75 cents. The advance will be from 15 to 50 per cent, the smallest advance being on 2nd class brick from 70; largest detached dwellings, from 50 to 75 cents on the \$100. There will be no change on special and hazardous rates. The companies doing business there have all agreed to this by writings duly executed. Can any good reason be furnished why the rates charged here should exceed those charged at San Francisco?

THE lovely blue sky with which we are favored at present makes the deplorable state of our streets all the more disgusting by contrast. Will our City Fathers do nothing for us in this respect? Are we destined to walk across muddy streets on bad crossings forever? We trust an effort will be made to remove some of the superfluous mud before the dawn of the New Year.

WE heard about forty persons, yesterday, say: "I wonder if the authorities will take any measures to prevent the introduction of smallpox by the Continental. Forty other people answered: "I guess not." The latter forty were perhaps about right.—Portland Oregonian.

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By Electric Telegraph.
SPECIAL TO THE DAILY BRITISH COLONIST
LAST NIGHT'S DESPATCHES.
Cuba.
HAVANA, Dec 22.—Intelligence received here says Col Kelanost and twelve other insurrectionists arrived at Martinez yesterday as prisoners. All the generals are unusually silent on the affairs of the insurrectionary districts. There are many rumors of engagements, generally contradictory; nearly all the troops lately arrived from Spain have been sent to the seat of war.

Europe.
LONDON, Dec 22.—The following dispatch dated Constantinople, yesterday, has just been received, it embraces the last news from that quarter. The Sultan has extended to three weeks the time for the departure of the Greeks from Constantinople. The Emperor of Russia has authorized the Greek vessels to raise the Russian flag. Hubert Pascha, the Turkish Admiral, with seven men of war, is blockading Syria.

The Turkish Minister at Athens has returned to Constantinople. The Greek Government is openly preparing for war. Cardwell is re-elected to Parliament from the city of Oxford. MADRID, Dec 22.—The election for members of the Cortez in this city passed off with comparatively little disturbance. All the monarchical candidates are elected. The Republicans carried the provinces of Seville and Barcelona. It is stated on official authority that up to the present moment six thousand troops have been sent to reinforce the army of Cuba; more will soon follow. The Government announces that it will never abandon a colony of Spain.

VALLETA, Malta, Dec 22.—The eruption of Mount Etna has subsided. ATHENS, Dec 22.—Government has asked of the Chambers a credit of a hundred million drachms and that the ports of Pera and Pratos be fortified.

PARIS, Dec 23.—A semi-official paper says the Great Powers have united in an effort to dissuade the Turks from expelling the Greeks from Turkey, Syria and Romania.

PARIS, Dec 24.—The Moniteur says the active move of the great powers gives hope that diplomacy, by the exercise of great moderation, will allay trouble.

The Publico says that Russia approves the proposition of Prussia to invite England, France and Austria to a conference on the Turkish and Greek difficulty.

Eastern States.
NEW YORK, Dec 22.—Caleb Cushing has arrived at Aspinwall on an errand regarding the Isthmus Canal obtaining grants, &c.

California.
SAN FRANCISCO, Dec 24.—Gold to-day in New York, 134 1/2. Five-twentieths of 1863 110—of 1867 109 7/8.

Wheat—Dull and nominal, \$2 20 @ 2 25. Flour—Dull, \$6 12; Liverpool quotations, 11s 11d.

Flour—Nominal. Superfine in 196 lb bks \$4 75 @ 4 87 1/2; extra, \$5 75 @ 5 87 1/2.

Wheat—Sales include 4000 bks choice Coast at \$1 60; 11000 bks choice coast at \$1 60; 6500 bks choice, private. Shipping may be quoted at \$1 75 @ 1 80 at the close.

Barley—Choice brewing, \$2 27 1/2. Arrived—Dec 24—Steamer Constantine, from Victoria; steamer Colorado, from Panama.

Sailed—Dec 24—Ship Revere, Port Townsend.

Oregon.
PORTLAND, Dec 24.—Steamship Active, from Victoria, arrived last night.

DELAYED DISPATCHES.
Europe.
MADRID, Dec 19.—Elections for members of the Cortez are proceeding in the incorporated cities with no disorder. A large majority of those elected are favorable to the formation of a monarchical form of Government. The Government authorizes the statement that the treaty of peace with Chile may be considered as an accomplished fact.

LONDON, Dec 19.—Dispatches from Constantinople report that the Turkish Commander, Omar Pasha, has been forbidden by his government to invade Grecian territory unless armed bands of Greeks pass the frontiers.

PARIS, Dec 19.—The Moniteur has the following details of the Erosis affair: The Erosis answered Suberol Pasha's signal with shot and immediately sought refuge in the port of Syria, where she was blockaded by the vessels of the Turkish fleet. Suberol Pasha announced his willingness to abandon the blockade on condition that the Erosis should be escorted to Athens by a Greek frigate and there await the result of judicial proceedings for the outrage committed.

The following dispatch is received, bearing date Constantinople, Dec 19th: The Greek Ambassador in this city to-day demanded of the guaranteeing powers protection of the Greek subjects in Constantinople. The French envoy on the part of his Government declined to move in the matter. The Sublime Porte demands the banishment of all Greeks from Belgrade.

LONDON, Dec 19.—The Times, commenting on the speech recently delivered by R. Verdy Johnson at the Birbeck Institute, says the sum of Johnson's policy is that triffles must not prevent the preservation of peaceful relations between England and America. The Times thinks that American obstacles to the treaty should be withdrawn.

ATHENS, Dec 18.—A Cabinet will be formed with Alexander Kimoundairous as the head of the Ministry.

LONDON, Dec 19.—Mr Laird publishes his correspondence with Revaldy Johnson to-day. Laird made the first friendly advances before the Liverpool banquet. Laird invited Johnson to visit him to hear the former's wish for lasting peace. Johnson could not accept the invitation for lack of time. He closes his note as follows: "Notwithstanding you sympathized with my Southern brethren during the war, I shall have much pleasure in making your acquaintance and hearing your sincere wishes for peace."

Eastern States.
NEW YORK, Dec 21.—The Herald's Washington dispatch says that the great bustle apparent at the State Department yesterday notwithstanding its being Sabbath, caused unusual attention. It is supposed to have been for the preparation of dispatches for Minister Johnson.

California.
SAN FRANCISCO, Dec 20.—Yesterday morning the house of Mrs Barbara Cunningham was entered by burglars. She attempted to call for help, when one of them struck her over the head with a bludgeon, inflicting serious and perhaps fatal injuries. The small-pox is slightly on the decrease. SAN FRANCISCO, Dec 24.—Custom House detectives seized \$20,000 worth of opium yesterday, which was being smuggled by Chinese passengers from the steamer Great Republic. It was found concealed in all conceivable shapes about their bodies. The Board of Supervisors yesterday appropriated \$4,000 towards a Christmas dinner for the inmates of the Hospital and Almshouse.

EATING.—Prof. Montegazza, a member of the Italian Parliament and professor of medicine, proclaims that his countrymen are underfed. Italians, he says, not only suffer in body by living too poorly, but their mental energies are thereby lessened. The weakness of the individual is relative with the weakness of the nation. The more the power of the nation is diminished, the longer a train of evils. Taxes cannot be levied on luxuries when the sheer necessities of life are alone resorted to. Those who think they have done enough when they barely keep body and soul together are unworthy members of society. There is no force in reserve for the hour of need. They have neither money to contribute for the common weal, nor the aid of strong right arms to bring to the great duty of national defence. It may seem an exaggeration to say that, because the Italians lived upon macaroni and watermelons, the Italian Chancellor of the Exchequer is puzzled how to arrange his budget so as to avoid a deficit. Nevertheless, this is a statement based on facts which it were presumptuous either to repudiate or doubt correctly.

Welcome, sweet "Clara Light," So opportunely to bring to sight Our HOLIDAY GOODS! Not "trifles light as air," Or sixpenny things as frail as fair, But good substantial Memento's.

Ladies' and Gentlemen's Dressing Cases, Work Boxes, Writing Desks, Pearl and Shell Companions, Pearl and Shell Card Cases, Jewel Case and Casket, Tatting and Traveling Bags, Portfolios, Photograph Albums, Handsome Gift Books.—T. N. HINMAN & Co.

CANDIES! CANDIES!—If you wish to get unadulterated Candies go to HARRY WALLER'S, Fort street; he has got a splendid assortment of English Confectionery, including Fig Paste, the only Store in town that has got it. Also, Gum Drops and Rock Candy, of a quality superior to any ever made by Confectioners in this Colony. They are free from all coloring and deleterious ingredients of any sort. Please call and examine before making your purchases, and judge for yourselves.

ANTI-DIVORCE, is the name of the newest style, Gentle Neck Tie; these together with a Large Stock of Winter Clothing, Beaver Suits, Pants, Hats, Caps, Shaker and Oregon Underclothing, Boys' Suits, Shirts, Socks, &c., have just been opened out at ADAMS & BEAVER'S New Clothing Store, Government street, which they are selling cheap as usual.

We direct the attention of the public to the excellent and varied stock of home-made CANDIES for the Holidays at PIERCE'S STORE, Government street. The principal difference between these candies and those imported is their entire freedom from the pernicious ingredients and colorings so injurious to children, which the latter often contain.

Fifteen Years Ago.
HOSTETTER'S STOMACH BITTERS was struggling into notice against the prejudices which everything new, however excellent is doomed to encounter.

TO-DAY.
It stands at the head of all the tonic and alterative preparations in existence. Its celebrity has evoked many imitations but no rivals. Physicians pronounce it the ONLY SAFE STIMULANT that has ever been introduced into the sick chamber. In the Hospitals of the Army and Navy, the surgeons find it the very best tonic for convalescents, and report it is invaluable for sustaining the vigor of troops on the march, as a remedy for scurvy and all scorbutic affections, and as the only specific for seasickness. California and Australia have emphatically indorsed it as the MINER'S MEDICINE par excellence, and in Spanish America and the tropical climate, it is considered the only reliable antidote to epidemic fevers.

There is no mystery about the causes of its success. It is the only stomachic and alterative in which are combined the grand requisites of a mild, pure, and unadulterated vegetable stimulant, with the finest selection of tonic, anti-bilious, anti-scorbutic, aperient, and depurative herbs, plants, roots, and barks that have ever been intermixed in a medicinal preparation.

The Bitters have this distinctive quality, which is not shared, it is believed, by any tonic, tincture or extract in the world; they do not excite the pulse, though they infuse a wonderful degree of vigor into the nervous system, and strengthen and sustain the whole physical organization.

It is also proper to state that the Bitters are sold exclusively in glass, and never under any circumstances by the gallon or the barrel. Impostors and imitators are abroad, and the only safeguard the public has against them is to see that the Bitters they bear the engraved label and note of hand of Messrs Hostetters & Smith, and the government stamp over the cork of the bottle.

HOLLOWAY'S OINTMENT AND PILLS.—Rheumatism and Gout.—These purifying and soothing remedies demand the earnest attention of all persons liable to gout, sciatica, or other painful affections of the muscles, nerves, or joints. Ointment should be applied after the affected parts have been patiently fomented with warm water, when the adjacent skin, unless the friction should cause pain. Holloway's Pills should be taken twice daily to reduce inflammation and to purify the blood. This treatment abates the violence, lessens the frequency of gout, rheumatism, and all spasmodic diseases which spring from hereditary predisposition, or from any accident weakness of constitution. The Ointment checks the local malady. The Pills restore the vital organs.

RAIL AND POSTS TO SPLIT, AT 6 o'clock, V. D. Apply on the Premises to A. J. TOLMIE, or in Town to STAFFORD & HICKIN, Butchers, Government street. de12

Auction Sales.
A UCTION
OIL PAINTINGS,
Copied by a new process called Oleography.
J. A. McCREA has received instructions to sell, on WEDNESDAY, Dec. 30, at the rooms of the Chamber of Commerce, Government street, opposite the Colonial Hotel, a superior assortment, just received from Italy, consisting of copies from Raphael, Guido Reni, Perugino, Carlo Dolce, Sassoferrato, and other distinguished ancient and modern painters.

By this process an exact copy is obtained, and they have been sold at extravagant prices throughout Europe and America.

This being the first Invoice of real works ever imported to this colony the Auctioneer particularly calls the attention of all amateurs to the Fine Arts to the same, and for the purpose the rooms will be thrown open to the public for inspection on Monday and Tuesday, the 28th and 29th inst. de25

A UCTION
ON THURSDAY, DEC. 31,
J. A. McCREA will make his last appearance, for this year. Thankful for past favors, and anxious for more, he will give all an opportunity of bargains, at his Salesroom, on the last day of the year.

GOODS TO CLOSE
Oregon Bacon, Dried Apples, Chartres' Coffee, Gunpowder in Flasks, Imitation Havana Segars, Virginia Tobacco, Zaute Currants, Salt, California Brooms, Candles, Soap, and a large variety of Balances. de28

CHRISTMAS AND
New Year's Gifts.
The undersigned desires to inform the Public that he has lately received a Large Assortment of Goods, Expressly for the Holidays.

Consisting of
Gold and Silver Watches, CHAINS, Jewelry of the Latest Patterns.

Silverware & Platedware
COMPRISING:
Tea and Coffee Sets, Cake Baskets, Napkin Rings, Cups, Ladies' Portmonnais, Card Cases, &c.

Gilt & Bronze Parlor Mantle Clocks, OPERA & FIELD GLASSES, OPTICAL GOODS, &c.

Also, a great variety of FANCY ARTICLES, ALL SUITABLE FOR CHRISTMAS GIFTS. The whole of which will be sold AT THE LOWEST PRICES.

CALL AND EXAMINE.
WM. G. JAMIESON, (Next door to the Colonial Hotel), GOVERNMENT STREET. de1

FLOUR.
Standard and Imperial Brands.
FOR SALE BY
THOS. LETT STAHLSCHEIDT, WHARF STREET. de11m

W. H. FRANKLYN, Auctioneer, Real Estate Agent AND COMMISSION MERCHANT, WHARF STREET, VICTORIA. Advances made on Consignments of Merchandise, Stock and Produce. de16

BUSINESS CARDS, Bill & Letter Heads, NEW STYLES, AT THE COLONIST JOB OFFICE de19 &

Auction Sales.
J. P. Davies & Co
AUCTIONEERS AND COMMISSION MERCHANTS. Salesroom, Fireproof Stone Building, Wharf Street near Yates. Cash advances made on consignments.
A UCTION
MONDAY, 28th DECEMBER, 1868,
J. P. DAVIES & Co. will sell, at Salesrooms, on Monday, Dec. 28th, at 11 a.m., Goods imported expressly for Holiday Presents, not landed from steamer Continental in time for the last sale.

Plated Ware—Tea and Coffee Sets, Urns, Ice Pitchers, Cruets, Salvers, Butter Coolers, Cups, Spoons and Forks, Cake Baskets, Pickle Dishes, &c. Gilt, Bronze, Marine and Mantle Clocks.

About 60 Gold, Silver and Boys' Watches.

Dry Goods—Dresses, Ladies' Chemise, Drawers and Night Dresses, Robes, Merinos, Neck Ties, White Shirts, Frock Coats, Silk Velvet Vests.

Tea Sets, Glass Lustres, Porcelain Buns, Fancy Jewelry, Tooth Picks, Pencil Cases, Chains, Rings, Charms, Table Knives.

At commencement of Sale— Lot Fat Geese, Spanish Hens, 70 hb-fs Layer Raisins, 1 Parlor Billiard Table de25

HOSTETTER'S CELEBRATED STOMACH BITTERS! A PURE AND POWERFUL TONIC. CORRECTIVE AND ALTERATIVE

Of Wonderful Efficacy in Diseases OF THE STOMACH, LIVER AND BOWELS. PROTECTIVE PROPERTIES. Prevents Fever and Ague and Billious Remittent Fever Fortifies the System against Malaria and the evil effects of unwholesome water; invigorates the organs of digestion and the bowels; &c.

Remedial Properties. Cures Dyspepsia, Liver Complaint, Sick and Nervous Headache, General Debility, Nervousness, Depression of Spirit, Constipation, Colic, Intermittent Fevers, Sea Sickness, Cramps and Spasms, and all complaints of either sex arising from Bodily Weakness, whether inherent in the system or PRODUCED BY SPECIAL CAUSES.

As a genuine Tonic, HOSTETTER'S BITTERS produces effects which must be experienced or witnessed before they can be fully appreciated. Persons of feeble habit, liable to Nervous Attacks, Loss of Spirit, and Fits of Languor, find prompt and permanent relief from the Bitters. The testimony on this point is most conclusive, and from both sexes. In districts infested with Fever and Ague, it has been found infallible as a preventive and irresistible as a remedy. Thousands who resort to it if under apprehension of an attack, escape the scourge; and thousands who neglect to avail themselves of its protective qualities in advance, are cured by a very brief course of this marvelous medicine.

Acting as a gentle and painless aperient, as well as upon the liver, it also invariably relieves the Constipation superinduced by irregular action of the digestive and secretory organs.

SOLD EVERYWHERE! HOSTETTER, SMITH & CO. DRUGGISTS, 29 Gm. St. San Francisco!

Don't Get Burnt Out! D. SPENCER IS CLEARING OUT HIS DAMAGED STOCK OF Books, Stationery AND TOYS. —ALSO— ALL THE NEW GOODS PER "PRINCE VICTOR," AT LONDON PRICES, FOR CASH ONLY. FORT STREET, CORNER BROAD. de11

The undersigned begs to inform the Public that he has just received per Bark "RIVAL" a Large Supply of ASSorted FRENCH PRESERVES, Such as Green Peas, Green Beans, Mushrooms, Truffled Pastry, Truffles, French Vinegar, &c. He has made such arrangements as to receive Fresh Supplies per Steamer Monthly, and offers them for Sale by Wholesale or Retail, at 25% per cent. Cheaper than they have hitherto been sold in this Market. A. CASAMAYO. Victoria, B. C., Oct. 30th, 1868. oc31 3m

Thrashing Machine FOR SALE BY THE UNDERSIGNED. One Russell's 30 in. Separator, and Russell's 10 Horse Power and Jack, Complete. FINDLAY & DURHAM, de121m

Springfield Nursery, Cook Street.

JAY & BALES

Invite Inspection of their LARGE STOCK of the CHOICEST VARIETIES of Apple, Pear, Plum, Cherry, Peach, & other Fruit Trees.

Of One Year Old and Upwards, now ready for Removal, and guaranteed true to name.

—ALSO ON—

vergreen and Deciduous Shrubs, Dwarf and Standard Roses, Bulbs and Nursery Stock of every description.

At the SEED STORE, Yates Street.

Fine Assortment of Fresh Island-raised TIMOTHY and RYE GRASS, and FIELD GARDEN SEEDS, of all kind on hand.

Fruit Trees Securely Packed for Travel.

Orders executed with fidelity and despatch, and planting undertaken if required. 0029 3m

LONDON HOUSE,

GOVERNMENT STREET.

Sept. 28th, 1868.

We are now Opening our Splendid Stock for the AUTUMN and WINTER TRADE, received by "Spirit of the Age," and Express.

These Goods have been carefully selected by us in London and Paris, and are in every respect the most desirable that could be Purchased for Cash in the best Markets of the World. They comprise all the Latest Fashions for Dress—very Superior STAPLE DRY GOODS, MANTLES, MILLINERY, FURS, &c., and some of the most Elegant Designs in FRENCH FANCY GOODS.

We are receiving additions to our Stock by every Steamer via Panama.

J. H. TURNER & CO.

Sole Agents for Alexandre's Kid Gloves.

LONDON FIRM—J. P. TUNSTALL & CO.

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Wholesale and Retail Dealer in

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LEATHER AND SHOE FINDINGS
St. opp. Wells, Fargo & Co.'s,
the Old Stand of Webster & Co.,
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of all the different Districts on the Island may be
his office. Parties desirous of purchasing home-
or making investments, will find on his Bulletin
the most reliable and every street; Far-
ing Land in every District, some of which afford
a fine view of the harbor.

on bond and mortgage on loan, in sum of ten
thousand pounds, at 4 per cent.

finances of every description done at reasonable
rates.

HOS. CAMERON,

COACH & WAGON BUILDER,

Blacksmithing,

ON HAND A LARGE ASSORTMENT

of all kinds of Carriages, and Six Mule Team Wagons, of the best
material, for sale.

CORMORANT STREET.

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Alhambra Saloon.

YATES STREET.

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al manner. Quality, Good, and Gie
of success.

proprietor is ever mindful to give his attention to
the benefit of his patrons.

W. FARRON,

Proprietor.

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FOR Christmas & New Year.

A. W. PIPER.

CONFECTIONER.

Government Street, Opposite the Theatre.

Would respectfully recommend his Superior
Assortment of

HOME-MADE CANDIES & CAKES.

A GREAT VARIETY OF FANCY ARTICLES,
SUCH TOYS AS:

Hearts, Candy-Boxes, &c.; Sugar-
Flowers, for Ornaments; French
Boxes, Filled with choicest
Sweets, for Presents.

An Unrivalled Assortment of
Cakes, of the Best Material,
Constantly on Hand, and

Made to Order.

BAKES, PARTIES, ETC., SUPPLIED AT THE
SHORTEST NOTICE.

FURNITURE,
At Reduced Prices.

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of all kinds of Furniture, Bedding, Mirrors and Uphol-
stery Goods, has just received from San Francisco a large
and well-assorted stock of furniture and Upholstery
Goods, selected by himself, especially for this market,
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